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SATUBDAY EVENING CCT. 2, 1909.

ARREST OF A SUSPECT. Lee Felis, a detective, returned yesterday to Bluefield, W. Va., from Hurley, Va., the scene of the recent murder of Mrs. Betty Justis. Mr. and Mrs. George Meadows, and their three children, and be thinks that beyond any doubt he has collected sufficient evidence to hold Howard Little, who was prrested six days ago at Bull Creek McDowell county, W. Va., on sus-

The officer believes that Little committed the crime single-handed. A few days previous to the tragedy Little bor rowed a revolver from a neighbor. The detective had the body of Meadows, the son-in-law of Mrs. Justis, exhamed, when it developed that Meadow, in additional statements. dition to having bad his skull crushed with an axe, had been twice shot, both hallets being located, and both being o' he same caliber as the revolver bor rowed by Little.

Another fact which the detective citthat Little, who is a married man with four children, was preparing whe-created to leave for the west with Mar-

Little had given her \$20 with which o purchase clothes, eaving that be would have plenty of money for the trip o a few days This statement is con sidered sign ficant in connection with he fact that Mrs. Justis was known to keep large sum of money about her

The sworn statement of Little was taken yesterday. It contradicts state-ments which he made six days ago.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexan-dria, on the 25th day of September, 1909. Lilian M O'Brien, In chancers In chancery.

Mose G O'Brien

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain for the plaintiff an absolute divorce from the defendant on the ground of unlawful abandonment and desertion for a period of three years prior to the institution of this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Moses G. O'Brien, is a no-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 656, 7 56, 851, 10 25, 11 25, a.m., 12 25, 125, 2 25, 3 30, 4 40, 5 35, 6 30, 7 35, 8 50, 9 50, 10 50 and 11 50 p.m. Sundays—7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 s.m., 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 6 30, 6 30, 7 30 8 46 and 10 16 p.m.

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, Office Clerk of House of Delegates.

Proposed amendments to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of the General Assembly, 1908, and published in pursuance of section

196 of the Constitution and Act approved February 3, 1908; JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment of section 110 of the

Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendm and certifying the same to the next session of the general assembly. and certifying the same to the next session of the general assembly,

1. Resolved, by the senate and house of delegates (a majority of the
members elected to each of the two houses agreeing thereto), that the
following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and is hereby proposed, and is hereby referred to the general assembly at its first regular
session held after the next general election of members of the house of
delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section
one hundred and ninety-six of said Constitution, namely; strike out from
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Sec. 110. There shall be elected by the qualified voters of each county, one county treasurer, who shall not be elected or serve for more than two consecutive terms, nor act as deputy of his immediate successor; one sheriff, one attorney for the Commonwealth, and one county clerk, who shall be the clerk of the circuit court. There shall be elected or appointed, shall be the clerk of the circuit court. There shall be elected or appointed, for four years, as the general assembly may provide, commissioners of the revenue, for each county, the number, duties and compensation of whom shall be prescribed by law; but should such commissioners of the revenue be chosen by election by the people then they shall be ineligible for reelection to the office for the next succeeding term.

There shall be appointed, for each county, in such manner as may be provided by law, one superintendent of the poor, and one county surveyor.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

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JOINT RESOLUTION proposing amendments to sections 119 and 120 of article 8 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendments and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Resolved by the senate and house of delegates (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing), That the following amendments to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same are hereby proposed, and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of senators and members of the nouse of delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of ticle fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one hundred and strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section one minutes and nineteen and one hundred and twenty which are in the following words:

Section 119. In every city, so long as it has a corporation court, or a separate circuit court, there shall be elected for a term of four years by the qualified voters of such city, one attorney for the Commonwealth, who shall also, in those cities having a separate circuit court, be the attorney for the Commonwealth, for such circuit court.

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In every city there shall be elected, or appointed, for a term of four years, in a manner to be provided by law, one commissioner of revenue, whose duties and compensation shall be prescribed by law, but should be elected by the people, he shall be ineligible for re-election to the affice for the next succeeding term.

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Section 120. In every city there shall be elected by the qualified voters flaered one city treasurer, for a term of four years, but he shall not be eligible for more than two consecutive terms, nor act as deputy for his immediate successor, one city sergeant, for a term of four years, whose duties shall be prescribed by law; and a mayor, for a term of four years, who shall be the chief executive officer of such city. All city and town officers, whose election or appointment is not provided for by this Constitution, shall be elected by the electors of such cities and towns, or of some division thereof, or appointed by such authorities thereof as the general assembly shall designate.

The mayor shall see that the duties of the various city officers, members of the police and fire departments, whether elected or appointed, in and for such city, are faithfully performed. He shall have power to investigate their acts, have access to all books and documents in their offices, and may examine them and their subordinates on oath. The evidence given by persons so examined shall not be used against them in any criminal proceedings. He shall also have power to suspend such officers and the members of the police and fire departments, and to remove such officers, and also such members of said departments when authorized by the general assembly, for misconduct in office or neglect of duty, to be specified in the order of suspension or removal, but no such removal shall be made without reasonable actice to the officer complained of, and an opportunity afforded to be heard in person, or by counsel and to present testimony in his defence. From such order of suspension or removal, the city officer so suspended or removed shall have an appeal of right to the corporation court, or, if there be no such court, to the circuit court, of such city, in which court the case shall be heard de novo by the judge Hiereof, whose decis such city, in which court the case shall be heard de novo by the judge Riereof, whose decision shall be final. He shall have all other powers and

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And insert in lieu thereof the following:

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JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 42, article 4, of the Constitution of Virginia.

Resolved, by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a major ity of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto). That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same as

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Aprely, preposed and referred to the general assembly to be chosen as the next general election of members of the house of delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia section forty-six of article four, which is in the following words:

Section 46. The general assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January next succeeding the election of the members of the house of delegates, and not oftener unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the general assembly, after the first under this Constitution, shall continue longer than sixty days; but with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Except for the first session held under this Constitution, members shall be allowed a salary for not exceeding sixty days at any regular session, and for not exceeding thirty days at any extra session. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place nor for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

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JOINT RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 50 of article 4 of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment, and certifying the same to the next general assembly.

Approved March 12, 1908.

1. Resolved by the house of delegates, the senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto). That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia be, and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the general assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the house of delegates for its confurence, in conformity with the provisions of section fifty of article four of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section fifty, article four, which is in the following words:

Section 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house, to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been—

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such comsession, and reported: (b) Printed by the house in which it originated, prior to its passage

(c) Read at length on three different calendar days in each house; and unless.

(d) A yea and may vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the

passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division (d) of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same charge a committee from the consideration of a bit and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-divisions (b) and (c) of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency, by a vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal; provided further, that no bill which creates or establish exercises continues or revives a debt or charge on the journal: provided further, that no bill which creates or established a new office, or which creates, continues or revives a debt or charge or makes, continues or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, or discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues or revives a tax, shall be passed except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and to law shall be construed as so stating such tax, which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The preciding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately, before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

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And insert in lieu thereof the following:
Section 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been— (a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated prior to its passage

(c) Read by title on three different calendar days in each house and read at length at least once in each house; and unless
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I hereby certify that the foregoing are true copies of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1908, and the same are published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and Act of the General Assembly, approved

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